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The attached Form PTO/SB08a/b lists documents cited in an Office Action issued in the corresponding Japanese Application No. 2000-620033.

US Patent No. 4,814,101 corresponds to JP 63-254115. US Patent No. 5,308,532 corresponds to JP 6-9726. US Patent No. 4,923,694 corresponds to JP 4-500224.

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The attached Form PTO/SB08a/b also lists the Office actions of Jan. 22, 2009 and Aug. 18, 2009 for USSN 11/966,675 to Yeung et al. as well as the Notice of Allowance of April 5, 2010 and the Supplemental Notice of Allowability of June 29, 2010 for USSN 11/966,675 to Yeung et al.

The Office action of Jan. 22, 2009 rejected claims 1 and 7-9 of USSN 11/966,675 to Yeung et al. as unpatentable over Woo et al. US 5232632 in view of Wisniewski et al. EP 0467472. Woo is already of record in the present application.

The Office action of Aug. 18, 2009 rejected claims 1, 3-6, 8-20, 22 and 24 of USSN 11/966,675 to Yeung et al. as unpatentable over Woo et al. in view of Wisniewski et al., and Hoogeveen et al, Macromol. Chem. Phys. Vol. 197. Woo et al and Hoogeveen et al are of record in the present application.

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